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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q61458

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Appln. No.: 09/695,306

Group Art Unit: 2875

Confirmation No.: 1186

Examiner: Jacob Y. CHOI

Filed: October 25, 2000

For: PLANE LIGHT SOURCE UNIT AND REFLECTION TYPE LIQUID-CRYSTAL DISPLAY
DEVICE

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TC 2800 MAIL ROOM

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of two months, extending the time for responding to the Office Action of November 20, 2002 to April 20, 2003¹.

A check for the statutory fee of \$300.00 is attached (\$410.00 - \$110.00 previously paid). The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: April 21, 2003

¹ Since April 20, 2003 fell on a Sunday, the filing of this Petition is timely.

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